



## **Media Release**

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### **Samling Group Donates to Lahad Datu Hospital in Covid-19 Fight**

(SABAH, Lahad Datu 29 April 2020): The Samling Group of Companies donated 60,000 surgical masks, 500 protective bodysuits, 15 thermometers, and 50 bottles of 500ml sanitisers to the Lahad Datu Hospital today.

The handing over of the contributions was held at Lahad Datu Hospital, by Samling's representatives, Richard Ng to the hospital's director, Dr Ridwan Hashim, and witnessed by the Chinese Chamber of Commerce Association Chairman, Tan Ching Teng. Richard was accompanied by Subramanian and Jose Mangaliag during the simple handing over.

Apart from running palm oil mills in Lahad Datu Sabah, Samling also has oil palm mills in Belaga, Lana and Jelalong in Sarawak.

Since April, Samling has donated critical medical equipment and essential medical supplies to over 100 medical institutions in Sarawak to help the Sarawak government in its fight against the Covid-19.

"We will continue to assist the Sabah government to fight against the Covid-19, which is a threat to all of us. And today, we are extending our help by delivering medical items to medical institutions here in Sabah," said Samling's CEO Lawrence Chia in a statement.